

## Message Text

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ACTION EUR-25

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C O N F I D E N T I A L LISBON 0906

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRN PO SP US XX

SUBJ: EUROCONTROL: IBERIAN PENINSULA

REF: MADRID 1506

1. ACTING DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CIVIL  
AERONAUTICS CONFIRMED MARCH 8 THAT PORTUGAL WOULD  
FOLLOW SPAIN'S LEAD RE MEMBERSHIP IN EUROCONTROL;  
I.E., WOULD JOIN IF SPAIN DID, AND WOULD NOT JOIN  
IF SPAIN DID NOT. HE INDICATED PORTUGAL WAS NOT  
PARTICULARLY CONCERNED ABOUT WHICH WAY THE  
MATTER WENT. WHILE IT MAKES SENSE FOR THE IBERIAN  
PENINSULA TO BECOME A PART OF THE SYSTEM, HE SAID,  
MEMBERSHIP WOULD MEAN UNWANTED ADDITIONAL EXPENSES.  
HE DESCRIBED PORTUGAL'S INDEPENDENT ENTRY INTO  
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EURCONTROL AS TECHNICALLY UNFEASIBLE.

2. ACTING DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL STATED  
UNEQUIVOCALLY THAT SOLE OPPOSITION TO SPANISH  
MEMBERSHIP COMES FROM U.K. HE THOUGHT STATUS OF  
THE CASE WOULD BECOME CLEARER AT A EUROCONTROL  
MEETING SCHEDULED FOR EARLY APRIL.  
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